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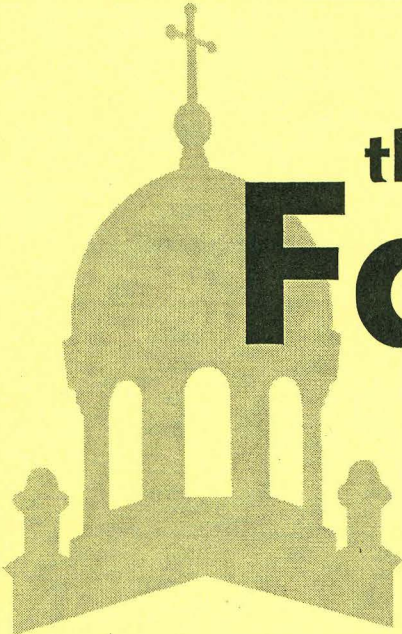
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## Quote Of the Week

from Blessed William  
Joseph Chaminade

“

*We should go to the  
ends of the world if  
God so calls us.*

”

### SPOTLIGHT ON...

### God's Mercy Endures Forever

This week we complete the semester, pray for God's blessings on our academic work and our summer ahead, and say goodbye to those who are graduating and moving on.

And God's mercy overflows.

Blessed William Joseph Chaminade used our first reading from Acts as an example of the community life to which Marianists are called: sharing all things, selling possessions for the sake of the common good, devoting selves to the breaking of bread and the prayers, eating meals together with exultation and sincerity of heart, praising God and enjoying favor with all, being saved by the Lord who adds to our numbers. Does this sound like Marianist goodness?

Moving from doubt to deep faith, Thomas says "My Lord and my God," and Jesus reminds us "Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed." Our weekly quotation from Fr. Chaminade seems especially appropriate for those (including me) who are moving on from UD: "We should go to the ends of the world if God so calls us."

And all of this is in the context of Divine Mercy Sunday (instituted by Pope John Paul II, who today is being beatified!). "God's mercy endures forever" insists Psalm 118, and the first letter of Peter says "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who in his great mercy gave us a new birth to a living hope through his resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead..."

Let us continue to pray for one another in living hope, and trust in God's great mercy which creates, sustains and redeems us all through the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ.

—Fr. Chris Wittmann, S.M.

### Sunday Readings and Reflection

Reading I: Acts 2:42-47  
Responsorial Psalm: 118: 2-4, 13-15, 22-24  
Reading II: 1 Pt 1:3-9  
Gospel: John 20: 19-31

"They ate their meals with exultation and sincerity of heart, praising God and enjoying favor with all the people." — Acts 2: 47

### Beyond the Doors:

**A Celebration in honor of Sr.  
Mary Louise Foley, FMI & Fr.  
Chris Wittmann, S.M.  
Wednesday, May 4, 3-5pm**

Please join the campus community in celebrating Sr. Mary Louise, who is retiring and Fr. Chris, who will be leaving to become the Director of the Marianist Novitiate. The reception will be held in the KU East Ballroom on Wednesday, May 4 from 3:00-5:00pm.

### End of year Move-out Collection/Recycling Drive

Look for bins in residence halls and information in the neighborhood to donate food, clothes and household goods during finals week!

### Sunday Worship Times

May 8 10am only

**May 12-Aug 21**

Immaculate Conception Chapel

10 am Mass

7pm Mass

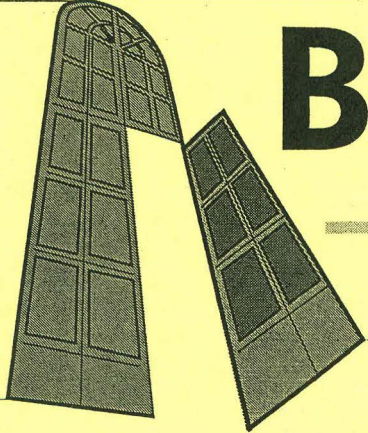
### Weekday Mass Schedule

Immaculate Conception Chapel

Monday-Friday 12:05 pm

**Baccalaureate Mass  
Saturday, May 7, 4:30pm  
UD Arena**





# Beyond the Doors

## Thank You, Fr. Chris

Under Fr. Chris Wittmann's leadership, campus ministry has grown, changed and added new programs. Here is a look back at the past nine years in campus ministry at UD.

### *New and Improved Communication*

UD's Commitment to Community  
Collaboration with Student Development  
Faithful Flyer  
Student religious Organization policies  
New website  
Service learning strategic plan

### *New Campus Ministry Positions*

Interdenominational Ministry  
Campus Minister for Graduate Students  
Assistant Director: Liturgy  
GA for Liturgies  
Neighborhood GA

### *New Chapel Projects*

Immaculate Conception Chapel  
renovation/expansion  
Marianist Chapel  
Stuart Chapel  
Marycrest Chapel

### *New and Improved Programs*

Lecture series on the priest sex abuse crisis  
Perspectives on Faith and Life Series  
More BreakOut trips  
Hungry Hearts  
Almost Thursday  
Twilight retreats  
Table of Plenty  
MLK Retreat  
Move-out donations/collections  
Campus Ministry Photo contest  
Composting in the kitchen  
REAL Dayton  
Service Saturdays  
Retreat Program Revision

### *New Student Leadership*

Mass coordinators  
Morale committee  
Undergraduate Music Ministers  
(UGMM's)  
International student ministry

